

# HOME IMPROVEMENT MESSAGES

February 1 – March 8, 2009  
Rogers First Church of the Nazarene  
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**RESOURCES:** Home Improvement Labs with Fresh Roots  
“Love Dare” Journal  
Additional Suggested Reading List  
“Love and Respect” Life Enrichment Elective

- February 1**      **Home Improvement – “Divine Design”**
- Genesis 2:18-25; Ephesians 5:31-32
  - God’s design for marriage
  - God’s design for the family
  - Creating your own Custom Made Home
- February 8**      **Home Improvement – “Flip That House”**
- Psalm 127:1; Hebrews 13:4
  - What makes a marriage / family
  - Identifying needed changes
  - Changing the culture of your home
- February 15**      **Home Improvement – “Design on a Dime”**
- Proverbs 3:9; Luke 16:11; Philippians 4:19
  - Financial Peace Principles
  - Creating a spending & savings plan
  - Putting God first in all things
- February 22**      **Home Improvement – “While You Were Out”**
- Ephesians 5:15-16; Ephesians 5-6
  - Influences in culture that are attacking & eroding our homes
  - Confronting the challenges that defeat us
  - Be aware, proactive and faithful
- March 1**          **Home Improvement – “Trading Spaces”**
- 1 John 3:18; Romans 15:5
  - Understanding your Spouse, children, teen or adult child
  - Communication skills and strategies
- March 8**          **Home Improvement – “Fire Proof”**
- Proverbs 24:3; Philippians 1:9; Revelation 2:4-5; 1 John 4:10-11
  - Affair proofing your marriage / Constraints and Commitments
  - Overcoming Offense / Giving Bitterness the Boot
  - Falling in Love all Over Again / Marriage Vow Renewal
- March 8**          **PM – Possible Showing of the Movie: “Fire Proof”**